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**Attention: Abhijit Bagde**

RE: MTC TIP Revision 2009-23 – Amendment

Dear Mr. Aljabiry:

Please be advised that MTC recently made several changes to the 2009 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP). TIP revision 09-23 is an all transit TIP amendment that makes revisions to 85 projects with a net increase in funding of approximately \$437.9 million. The amendment programs \$350 million in FTA Section 5307 and FTA Section 5309 Fixed Guideway (FG) funds for FY 2009-10, as adopted by the commission through the San Francisco Bay Area Regional Transit Capital Priorities program.

MTC's 2009 FTIP, as revised with TIP Revision No. 09-23, remains in conformity with the applicable State Implementation Plan (SIP) for air quality and the revision does not interfere with the timely implementation of the Transportation Control Measures contained in the State Implementation Plan (SIP).

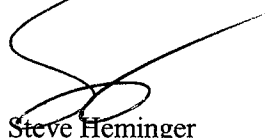
The modifications made pursuant to this revision do not require a new regional emissions analysis because the projects were found to conform as a part of a previous analysis, pursuant to the transportation conformity provisions found in 40 CFR Part 93 section 122(g). MTC's 2009 FTIP, including Revision No. 09-23, was developed through a continuing, cooperative, comprehensive transportation planning process in accordance with 23 U.S.C. §134 and 49 U.S.C. Chapter 53 and MTC's Public Participation Plan.

TIP financial constraint documentation submitted with this revision shows that MTC's FTIP is financially constrained as required by the federal surface transportation programs authorizing legislation and statewide and metropolitan planning and programming regulations.

MTC's 2009 FTIP, including Revision No. 09-23, is consistent with metropolitan transportation planning regulations per 23 Code of Federal Regulations Part 450 and conforms to MTC's Regional Transportation Plan (T-2035).

The revised TIP entries and the updated fiscal constraint documentation have been emailed to your staff and have been posted at MTC's TIP website at: <http://www.mtc.ca.gov/funding/tip/>. If you have any questions regarding this revision, please contact Sri Srinivasan of my staff at (510) 817-5793.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Steve Heminger', with a large, stylized loop at the end.

Steve Heminger  
Executive Director

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